

AUXCOMM/AUXC

Auxiliary Communications Training Course

Course Description

This class is designed for amateur radio operators who volunteer to provide backup radio communications support to public safety agencies.

This course focuses on auxiliary communications interoperability, the relationship between the COML and AUXCOMM/AUXC volunteers, emergency operations center (EOC) etiquette, on-the-air etiquette, Federal Communications Commission (FCC) rules and regulations, auxiliary communications training and planning, and emergency communications deployment. The course is intended to supplement and standardize a volunteer operator's experience and knowledge of emergency amateur radio communications in a public safety context.

This course is limited to 15 participants.

Audience

- Licensed Amateur Radio Operators that have a desire to work with COMLs in a NIMS ICS environment.

Prerequisites

- IS-100 Introduction to the Incident Command System
- IS-200 Basic Incident Command System for Initial Response
- IS-700 An Introduction to the National Incident Management System
- IS-800 National Response Framework, An Introduction Recommended
- ICS-300 Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents is recommended, but not required
- Must hold an active FCC amateur radio license
- Experience in auxiliary communications
- An affiliation with a public safety agency

Registration

1. Visit <https://www.idahoprepares.com> to waitlist for the course.
2. Complete the survey at <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/RTX5G73>
3. Send a copy of your FCC license and completion certificates for all prerequisites to siteadmin@imd.idaho.gov.

You will be enrolled once your license/prerequisites packet and survey application have been reviewed and approved.

For questions about registration, visit www.ioem.idaho.gov/idaho-prepares-faqs/.

Date(s) & Time(s)

July 9-10, 2022

8am—6pm PT

Register by: June 24, 2022

Location

Lewiston, ID

*specific location information will be shared prior to the course

Course Tuition

No cost for this class.

Course Completion

Participants who actively participate, attend the entire course, and successfully complete the course will receive a Certificate of Completion.

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